

USOE Fine Arts Rainbow Chart

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Previously mastered		Experience/	Explore/	Experience/	Analyze/	Research/ Create	Refine/
grade level skills Knowledge of body Basic locomotor and axial movement skills. Listen to signals and respond to movement directions	with definitions BODY / MIND The body is the instrument of dance Warm-up A series of exercises/movement to ready the mind and body Locomotor Steps	Identify Warm-up* Body Parts Conditioning Principles Strength Flexibility Stability Endurance	Explore the joy of moving the body. Warm the body for movement. Identify and move body parts and the whole body.	Practice a warm – up series that builds strength, flexibility, and balance.	Integrate Improvise using segments movement that build on one aspect of conditioning.	Create a dance with a partner based on one conditioning principle (e.g. balance dance).	Contribute Create a dance with a partner based on one conditioning principle.
	Steps that travel through space Axial Movement Movement that revolves around the axis and is performed in place	Skills* Axial Movement Locomotor Steps	Explore axial movements of bending, twisting, turning and tilting and the locomotor steps walking, running, leaping, galloping, skipping, sliding, jumping video	Practice axial movements (bending, twisting, turning, tilting) and locomotor steps (walking, running, leaping, galloping, skipping, sliding, jumping).	Improvise a phrase of adding axial movements to the locomotor movements. Example: skipping and turning, tilting and leaping, twisting and jumping video	Create a movement sequence that includes locomotor and axial movements	Perform the movement sequence that includes locomotor and axial movements. Perceive and reflect.
Steady beat, tempo, changing tempos Simple rhythms, call and response,	TIME Defines when one moves Duration (short/long) Length of movement Tempo(fast/slow) Speed of movement Metric Rhythm Grouping of beats in recurring pattern	Beat* Accent*	Clap then move to the rhythm of a changing beat. Hear and clap the	Investigate clapping then moving on the beat, faster than the beat, slower than the beat and returning to the beat. video	Improvise to a simple eight-count rhythm pattern. video	Create and memorize an eight-count rhythm pattern phrase.	Perform the eight- count rhythm pattern phrase. Perceive and reflect.
meter, accent	Accent. Emphasis that results in a beat being louder or longer than another in a measure Meter Measure or unit of a metrical verse	Accent	accented or first beat of every measure in 4/4, 2/4 and 3/4 time.	Move while accenting the first beat of every measure in 4/4, 2/4 and 3/4 time.	phrase of four measures or 16 counts of 4/4, 2/4 and 3/4. In movement, accent the first beat of every measure.	memorize a 16- count accent phrase in 4/4, 2/4 or ¾ time.	accent phrase in 4/4, 2/4 or ¾ time. Perceive and reflect.
	SPACE Defines where one moves Shape The form of the body.	Pathways* Spatial relationship	Explore spatial pathways including straight, zigzag, and curved.	Demonstrate four different pathways, and four different locomotor steps.	As a group, improvise a map sequence using four different	Individually, create and memorize a map sequence using locomotor, pathways, and shapes.	Perform the map sequence. Perceive and reflect.

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Previously mastered grade level skills	Elements of Dance with definitions	Experience/ Identify	Explore/ Contextualize	Experience/ Identify	Analyze/ Integrate	Research/ Create	Refine/ Contribute
Range of movement, shape, levels, direction, symmetry and asymmetry, moving in place and through space, pathways, mapping	Levels (low/ medium/ high) Direction (forward, backwards sideward, up, down) Size The continuum from small to large Pathways Patterns or designs created on the floor or in the air Asymmetry Uneven, irregular design Relationships The body's position relative to something or someone	identity	Explore changing the shape of the body with level, direction, size, symmetry and asymmetry. video	identity	pathways, four different locomotor steps, and four different finishing shapes. video	Create	Contribute
Performing and sequencing, qualities of motion, contrasting qualities	ENERGY Defines how one moves Qualities of motion Characteristics of a movement Dynamics The degree of energy, intensity, or power in the execution of movements	Qualities*	Explore energies or qualities of movement that include percussive, sustained, swinging, vibratory, exploding, rebounding and suspending.	Practice and refine qualities of movement. Find something in nature or everyday life that is percussive, sustained, swinging, vibratory, exploding, and rebounding (e.g. A dragonfly moves percussively.) video	Identify two contrasting energy qualities and improvise a short movement phrase.	Create and memorize a movement phrase that combines two contrasting energy qualities.	Perform energy phrase for classmates. Perceive and reflect. Did we see two contrasting energy qualities?
Awareness of self to community, world; purpose of dance in community Artistic/Creating Skills Creativity, imagination, audience skills Compositional structures Beginning, middle, end; individual, partner; call and response Performance Skills Focus, concentration, kinesthetic, visual, auditory skills increased Life Skills Cooperation, respect following directions, engagement in learning, self-efficacy, turn taking	CULTURAL Individual and family Ritual/Ceremonial Dance A dance that is performed as part of a community celebration, ceremony or religious event/ritual	Ceremonial Dance Ritual Dance*	Watch a video or live performance of a ritual or ceremonial dance from an authentic culture.	Learn a simple ritual or ceremonial dance from a culture.	Analyze the dance as it relates to the culture. Improvise using elements based on the culture.	Create a simple ceremonial or ritual dance. video	Perform a simple ritual or ceremonial dance. Perceive and reflect.